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Inventors: Van Eyk et al.
Serial No.: 09/115,589
Filing Date: July 15, 1998
Examiner: S. Gucker
Group Art Unit: 1647
Title: Methods of Diagnosing Muscle Damage

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Sir:

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FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE
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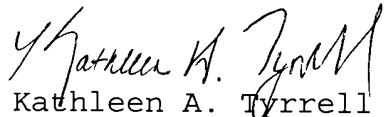
In response to the "Notice to Comply With Requirements for
Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino
Acid Sequence Disclosures" which was included in the Notice of
Missing Parts dated **July 3, 2001**, a response to which is due
August 3, 2001, enclosed herewith is:

() Amendment under 1.825;

- () Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 CFR §§1.821 through 1.825;
- () Substitute pages of the Sequence Listing;
- () Substitute copy of the computer readable form of amended Sequence Listing;
- (XX) Copy of Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;
- (XX) Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time;
- (XX) Other: Amendment to Specification.

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Respectfully submitted,



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **July 3, 2001** in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **August 4, 2001**
Date

until: **September 3, 2001**
Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
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The fee for the extension of time is **\$55** and is to be paid as follows:

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A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1619** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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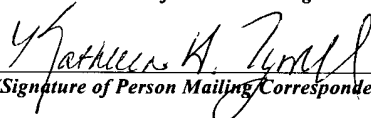
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